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SUBJECT: AMNESTY LAW APPROVED

REF: A) SANTO DOMINGO 4831; B) SANTO DOMINGO 4941

1. ON SEPTEMBER 8, PRESIDENT GUZMAN SIGNED THE AMNESTY BILL INTO LAW, THE FIRST OF HIS NEW ADMINISTRATION. THE BILL WAS APPROVED ON TUESDAY, SEPT 6, BY THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES AND ON SEPT 7 BY THE SENATE IN THE FORM THE TWO BODIES ORIGINALLY PASSED IT AUGUST 29 (REF A). GUZMAN ON SEPT 3 HAD SUGGESTED MOEIFICATIONS IN THE LAW (REF B) BUT THESE WERE NOT APPROVED.

2. THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, CAONABO GERNANDEZ NARANJO, HAS ALREADY DRAWN UP A LIST OF 192 "POLITICAL PRISONERS" WHO COULD RECEIVE AMNESTY AND IS NOW WORKING WITH THE COURTS TO PREPARE RELEASES, WHICH HE HAS SAID SHOULD BEGIN SHORTLY. IMPEDIMENTS AGAINST THE RETUN OF POLITICAL EXILES WILL ALSO BE REMOVED.
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